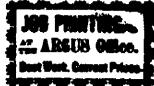


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GENERAL NEWS FROM THE CAMPS.

Camp Meade May Not Break Up—The Right to Send Troops to Manife. A Relie of the War - New Cavalry Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 .- The payment of such soldiers as were not with their commands when the regiments were mustered out is one of the problems that has been presented to the war department officials. Some time ago orders were issued directing regimental and other commanders to have soldiers on sick leave or furloughs furnished with descriptive lists so that they might be paid if they were not with their commands. Some of the officers have neglected to do this. Then again cases have arisen where soldiers have gone into hospitals, and their commands have been transferred to other camps or home to be mustered out, and nothing was left with the sick soldiers to identify them for the receipt of their pay: An instance of this was discovered by Secretary Alger in a hospital at Lexington. He telegraphed Paymaster General Stanton that there were 95 men in the hospital there who had not received their pay for July. There was nothing to identify the men to the paymaster, as their regimental and company commanders had not furnished them with any means of identification. General Stanton immediately ordered that they be paid for July and will now undertake to trace down their records so as to keep his accounts straight. Such a payment was irregular to some extent, but General Stanton concluded to take chances, believing that the record of the men could be obtained and the amount paid them charged to them in the future.

instances are constantly brought to the attention of officials of the war department. Yesterday several members of Roosevelt's Rough Riders were at the department with a note from Colonel Roosevelt asking that the department take some steps looking to the payment of the men and giving them transportation to their homes. These men were on furlough or sick leave when the regiment was mustered out. They was is said regarding the identification of the troops on sick leave or furlough. They returned from their leaves to Camp Wikoff and found no regiment to report to. They were apparently without any status before the war department. General Wheeler did not know what to do with them. Colonel Roosevelt decided to send them here. At the department their records were looked up, and as General Stanton remarked, "We provided them with papers so they could get their pay." These men were given all that they were entitled to under the law and sent home feeling well satisfied. They had a pleasant interview with Acting Secretary Meiklejohn, who asked them many questions about their campaign in Cuba and the hardships they had endured. He told the soldiers that the department wanted to do all it could for the men who had so ably and creditably sustained the reputation of the American soldier in trying times.

CAMP MEADE WILL CONTINUE.

Sergeant Major Brayton's Death Will Lead to an Investigation.

CAMP MEADE, Middletown, Pa., Sept. 21.—Major General Graham thinks the war department will not be in a hurry to break up the Second army corps. His troops are accustomed to the cold weather of the north, and they would probably withstand the rigors of the climate at Camp Meade better than the enervating atmosphere of the south. The only southern regiments in the corps are the Second West Virginia, First Maryland and the Second Tennessee, all the others being from the north. General Graham says the southern camps have not been as healthful as those in the north and favors the retention of the troops at Camp Meade until it becomes necessary to send them to the West Indies and the Philippines. The health conditions of the camp are improving, and outside of the New York regiments there is very little sickness. Chief Surgeon Girard attributes much of the sickness among the New Yorkers to the unhealthy condition of Camp Black. Fifteen fever cases were taken away yesterday afternoon by the Good Samaritan hospital of Lebanon, and 24 others were shipped to the Pennsylvania hotel, Philadelphia. The Red Cross wards in the Second division hospital have been enlarged, and the fever patients who are too weak to be sent to city hospitals

are being attended by trained female nurses. Clarence E. Brayton, sergeant major of the Third New York regiment, died yesterday of spinal meningitis at Harrisburg. Dr. H. S. Hoteling of Syracuse, who attended Brayton, says death was caused by neglect. The young soldier was taken sick two weeks ago and was sent to the division hospital, The surgeons there said he was suffering from quinine poisoning and that there was nothing else wrong with him. He was removed to Harrisburg and a few days later taken to the Bolton House. The military hospital authorities did not notify his parents until several days after he was taken

sick, and they will demand an investigation. Lieutenant E. J. Renison, quartermaster of the Fourth Missouri, was yesterday removed to the Harrisburg hospital, having a slow fever. Private Edgar A. Ellett, Company C. Fourth Missouri, died yesterday of typhoid fever. His remains will be shipped to Bt. Joseph.

The Rocond West Virginia started venterday morthlag to a march to Get

day week of a regimental monument. The Seventh Ohio will leave Friday for Columbus, O., for muster out. The Fourth New Jersey, which is being reorganized at Sea Girt, is expected at Camp Meade Saturday. The married men in the Fourth are being discharged and their places filled by men of the First, which has received orders to muster out.

Chief Quartermaster Hoard says not a single soldier entitled to transportation has ever had to leave Camp Meade without it. He claims the story ema-nating from New York that several men of the Eighth Massachusetts were stranded in that city because they were sent away from here without transportation could not be true, as this regiment has never been at Camp Meade. The soldiers here who are being discharged are paid before leaving and are thus saved the expense of a trip to Washington. Lieutenant Colonel Stevenson of the First Delaware has recalled his resignation. Lieutenant Tyree R. Rivers, Third United States cavalry and aid on the staff of General Young, has been recommended for promotion to assistant chief quartermaster for gallentry at Santiago. The trial of Major Charles R. Parke of Scranton, Pa., for refusing to receive descriptive lists of patients delivered to the Second division hospital while he was surgeon in charge has been indefinitely postponed.

Secretary Alger Addresses Soldiers. LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 21.-After the review here yesterday Secretary Alger made a short address to the soldiers, admonishing them to be strong in their duty to their country. He said the government had always done and will continue to do all in its power for the enlisted men. He declared the citizens, instead of finding fault with the government, should lend their country their assistance by helping the soldiers all they could. Las sentiment was warmly cheered, and the secretary added that he was glad to say that he had heard excellent reports from the citizens of Lexington along this line, and he wanted to thank them for the great good they had done in furnishing so many delicacies free of charge to the sick and for refusing to practice extortion on the well.

General Breckinridge spoke next and paid Secretary Alger a high compliment as being the most tender hearted secretary of war this country had ever He declared that the secretary was doing all in his power and was causing others to do all in their power to take the best care of the sick and

An Obstacle to Cuban Relief.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.-Acting Secretary Meiklejohn is making renewed efforts to secure the entrance of the Comal, with 1.000,000 rations on board, into some Cuban port. The Comal is now at Key West, where she was ordered when the Spanish authorities refused to allow her to land her cargo without the payment by the United States of duty to the amount of \$60,000 in gold Unofficial advices having been received that the port of Bahia Honda is opened for relief without the payment of duties, Secretary Meiklejohn is now making an inquiry as to whether the Comal relief supplies can be landed. It has been determined that the evacuation of the island will take place first in the west and move eastward, as it is believed that the relief for the starving Cubans should be landed in the west. Senor Quesada of the Cuban junta saw Secretary Meiklejohn yesterday and represented the Cubans as being in a sad plight. He is anxious to have everything possible done for their relief.

Increase of Sickness at Santiago. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Nearly 1,200 of the American troops at Santiago are on the sick list, and General Lawton reports 88 new cases of fever yesterday. His report, sent to the war department

last night, is as follows: "Sick, 1,187; fever, 679; new cases, 88;

returned to duty, 289.
"Deaths-W. M. Johnson, Eighth Illinois infantry, teamster, thermic fever, Sept. 19; Felix Boswell, Company D, Ninth United States volunteers, bilious fever, Sept. 18; Albert Richardson, nurse, Comany L. Ninth United States volunteers, pernicious malarial fever, Sept. 17: John J. Nickoden, Company K, First Illinois, typhoid fever, Sept. 17; John J. Blake, private, Company F, Fifth United States infantry, typhoid fever, Sept. 19; Robert L. Courson, private, Company B. Third United States volunteers, yellow fever, Sept. 19; Walter Gray, private, Third United States volunteers, pernicious remittent fever and hemop-

The Right to Send Troops to Manila. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.-Somequestion has arisen as to the right of the United States to send troops to Manda under the terms of the protocol and the armistice which followed. Upon this matter being brought to the attention of the officials of the war department it was stated that under the protocol Manila city, harbor and bay were placed under control of the United States and that we have the same right to reenforce Manila that we would have to send troops to any other army post. Spain, it was said, would have no right to protest against the action of the United States, as the movement of troops to Manila was not like sending them to an island or station in dispute.

Interesting Souvenir at Washington WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 .- A large lead gargoyle and the royal arms of Aragon and Castile are now in possession of the postoffice department, They are trophies from Santiago, having once graced the Spanish postoffice at that place. Into the open jaws of the gargoyle was deposited the letters of the patrons of the office. The mouth werved as a slot, and the letters (el' into a receptacle on the inside of the office. The royal arms of Spain were also on the building. Both were sent to he department by Mr. Louis Kempner,

the protol agent at Santiago.

SIXTEEN MEN PERISH

Disastrous Fire In a Toledo Grain Elevator.

STARTED WITH AN EXPLOSION.

Spontaneous Combustion the Cause. Children Also Perish in the Flames-A Scene of Indescribable Horror.

TOLEDO, Sept. 21.-Eight men were remated and eight more fatally burned last night in the most disastrous fire that ever occurred in Toledo. The spontaneous combustion of dust in the grain elevator owned by Paddock, Hodge & Co. caused this terrible destruction of life, and none of those who were taken out after the fire were far enough from death's door to tell any of the details.

The dead are Samuel Alexander, Bert Wainwright, Fred Garrett, Harold Parks, John Smith, Grace Parks, Frank Van Housen and John Carr.

The injured are David Kemp, Barney Welch, Charles Keifer, Fred Pargillis, J. Eliot, Charles Brocker, Everett Smith, Hamilton Parks, William J. Parks, W. C. Jordan, Peter Haas, Al Baldie and four others whose names are unknown. William J. Parks, the superintendent,

was blown through the window of the lower story. He said that about 8:30 a terrible explosion occurred on the south side of the elevator and that he knew there were about 20 men at work on the seven floors of the enormous building. None of the injured will survive their burns and bruises. Besides those regularly employed at the elevator the three children of Superintendent Parks were visiting him at the time. One of these may recover from his burns, but Grace, a 17-year-old girl, is burned almost beyoud recognition, and Harold, the third child, has not been found.

The explosion caused a panic in the neighborhood of the elevator. Houses were shaken as in an earthquake and windows were shattered for blocks around. The fire department of the city quickly began the work of rescue, which was rendered difficult by the terrific heat. The river cut off escape on one side, and there the flames seemed to be less flerce. The families of a dozen men who were known to be at work within rushed to the scene, and women calling for their imprisoned husbands, brothers and fathers made a scene indescribable

It was learned that the force of 20 men expected to load 80:000 bushels of grain during the night. Not one of the entire number could be seen in any part of the building, and it was impossible to reach them in any way. William Parks was found first. He was 20 feet from the building, frightfully burned and his clothing almost entirely torn off. He had been hurled from his place in the main room through a window, and his agonizing cries were most pitiful. Another employee, John Carr, was hurled from the fifth floor of the building and was found bleeding and burned, with many bones broken. He did not long survive. Fireman David Kemp and Charles Keifer, the engineer, were found at their places in the engine rooms. They were wounded by falling timbers, and their faces were terribly

The little daughter of William Parks was sitting near the desk in the office at the time of the explosion, and she was hurled out of the door. She walked down the elevation on which the building stands and then fell unconscious. suffering from wounds from which she died soon after.

burned.

The heat became so intense that 20 cars on sidings near the burning building were added to the loss. The fire department had a hard struggle to save other elevators and property. The budge across the Maumee river was on fire several times, but outside of the loss of the elevator the damage is slight.

Mr. Paddock, a member of the firm owning the plant, said that there was between 500,000 and 600,000 bushels of grain in storage at the time, most of it being winter wheat. The loss will reach \$450,000. Insurance is \$135,000 on the building, and the grain is covered with **\$258,000** insurance.

Went Insane on His Way to Europe.

SARATOGA, Sept. 21.-Theodore B. utner of Minneapolis, en soute from that city to New York city, was taken violently insane at Ballston Spa on Monday night. He was to have sailed from New York city yesterday on the Trave for Bremen. He is being well cared for, awaiting the arrival of his brother, who left Minneapolis last night for Ballston

No Space For Us at Paris. PARIS, Sept. 21.-Frederick W. Peck. the United States commissioner to the Paris exposition of 1900, and his staff will today visit the tomb of Lafayette as a token of respect. Mr. Peck is not receiving any encouragement in his efforts to secure increased space at the

German Officer Arrested For Murder. BERLIN, Sept. 21.-Count Stolberg-Wornigerode, a cavalry captain, has been arrested on account of the death of Sergeant Scheinhardt from the effects of a sword cut behind the ear, inflicted by the count for impertinence during the recent maneuvers in Alsace.

exposition for American exhibits.

An American Novelist Dying.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 21.-Colonel Richard Malcolm Johnson, the novelist and lecturer, is reported as dying at the Maryland General hospital in this city. Colonel Johnson has been ill for several months, and his physicians say his death is but a question of time.

置云-Governor Woodbury Accepts. BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 21.-Ex-Governor U. A. Woodbury has been tendered and accepted a place on the war investigation commission. He will leave for Washington Friday and be present at the meeting of the commisBASEBALL SCORES.

Result of Yesterday's Gamiso In the National League. At New York-

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Twenty fishermen were drowned in the Baltic sea Monday night, a storm wrecking their boats. The provincial councils elections in

Spain resulted in the return of the municipal nominees except at Bilbao. General Zurlinden has been reappointed military governor of Paris, the post

he occupied before becoming minister It was reported at Manila that the insurgents were attacking Zebu and Iloilo.

The British gunboat Rattler has gone The Boston. Raleigh and Manila, at

Manila, have been ordered to protect commerce against alleged interference by Filipino vessels. Queen Wilhelmina opened the states.

general at The Hague yesterday. She said she received the czar's disarmament proposal with peculiar sympathy. The workmen of Bilbao, where the

ruisers of Admiral Cervera's fleet were built, proposed to make a demonstration against the defeated admiral on him return to Spain.

The Duke of Tetuan in an interview at Madrid said that the late Premier Canovas would never have gone to war with the United States. The duke blamed Senor Sagasta for all Spain's trou-

Fined For Their Part In the Rick.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Sept. 21.—Harry Stroul and Irving Wood were fined \$10 each in the police court yesterday for throwing stones at the cars of the Lowell. Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company. The men were arrested Tuesday evening during the riotous scenes that occurred in connection with the controversy between the street railway company and their employees over the question of giving bonds by the latter. The men who quit work owing to their opposition to the bonds appear to be backed by public sentiment, and they are determined not to submit to the bond system,

Life Imprisonment For Murderer. BRIDGEPORT. Conn., Sept. 21,-

Louis C. Allen, the youthful murderer of John H. Detscha, pleaded guilty yesterday morning to murder in the second degree and was sentenced by Judge Thayer to imprisonment for life. State Attorney Fessenden was willing to accept the prisoner's plea. Allen shot Betscha in the latter's store last July after having been apprehended while robbing the money drawer. The victima died a few days later at the hospital.

Death Was Caused by Drowning, TAUNTON, Mass., Sept. 21.-The re-

port of Assistant Medical Examiner C. A. Attwood in the case of James Francis of Fall River, whose dead body was taken from Taunton river on Monday bearing marks which were taken to indicate foul play, rendered yesterday. was to the effect that death was caused by drowning. The officer withholds his opinion on the cause of the gashes found on Francis' head, and the police are still at work on the case.

A Democratic Nomination. MALONE, N. Y., Sept. 21 .- At the

Democratic convention held in this city yesterday John Harding of Saranac Lake was nominated for the assembly. The delegates to the state convention are R. M. Moore, J. H. Enright and A. B. Cooney. Aside from indorsing the candidacy of Thomas F. Conway of Plattsburg for attorney general, no resolutions were adopted.

After the American Market.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sept. 21.-Premier Winter has left here to rejoin the Quebec conference. The commercial interests of the colony urge him to retainabsolute control of the bait supply unless the Americans make generous concessions in the shape of the free admission of our fish to United States mar-

Acquitted of Charge of Murder.

DOVER, N. H., Sept. 21.-The street authorities yesterday dropped the e - e against Alfred W. Jones of Milton, was was tried at the last term of the supreme court here on a charge of murdering his mother, Sally W. Jones, by poisoning.

San Domings Refugeen.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, Sept. 21 .- The Evench steamer La Georges Croice arrived here yesterday from San Dondago city with 150 refugees and sailed in the afternoon with 50 passengure for Nuc-

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w Superintendent of Military Academy at West Point is a toung Man.

Albert L. Mills, who has been ap-Dointed superintendent of the military academy at West Point, is the first lieutenant to be so honored. The superintendency of the military academy is a very responsible position, as upon him depends the training that the future officers receive. First Lieut. Mills' predecessor in command of the academy was Lieut. Col. Oswald H. Ernst, now a brigadier general of volunteers, and an officer of that rank Mills as a reward for his gallant con-



LIEUT, A. L. MILLS. (New Superintendent of the West Point M.li ary Academy.)

duct during the storming of San Juan Heights. He was Gen. Young's chief of staff, with the volunteer rank of captain, during the Santiago campaign, and was severely wounded during the battle at San Juan, having been shot in the head and losing an eye. Lieut. Mills is 44 years of age and well fitted for his new post. For the last four years he has been instructor of tactics and strategy in the Fort Leavenworth infantry and cavalry school. and he has been an instructor at the academy. He entered the academy in 1874, being appointed from New York. became a second lieutenant in the first cavalry June 13. 1879, and received his commission as first lieu enant January 23, 1859. The appointment gives much satisfaction to the army, especially as Lieut. Mills' blindness in one eye will unfit him for active military duty. Maj. Gen. Wheeler expressed the opinion of the army when he telegraphed Secretary Alger thanking the secretary for the promotion, which nearly every army officer receives as kindly as if it were a personal favor.

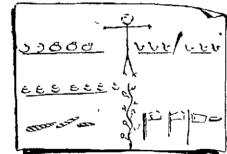
CORRESPOND IN SIGNS.

Primitive Methods of Communication Employed by the latives of the Caroline Group.

When Uncle Sam takes the Caroline islands-if Uncle Sam does take the Caroline islands—it will be an absolute ecessity for him to appoint agents there who know how to write the English language. Otherwise he may receive some communications as are shown in the accompanying picture.

This is a facsimile of a letter from a native of the Caroline islands, sent by the captain of a trading vessel to a trader at Rotta, with certain sea shells. These shells the native had agreed to collect and give in exchange for a few axes and other usful articles.

The captain who conveyed the shells gave the native a piece of paper, on



WRITTEN IN SIGNS (Copy of a Letter from the Caroline Islands)

which the message was drawn. The human figure at the top, like unto that of a turnip-headed ghost, to represent the captain, and his arms are outstretched at each side to denote his office as a go between, or messenger, from one of the parties to the other The vine beneath him denotes friend thip, and it separates the paper into two parts, one for each side of the transaction, just on the principle of the debtor and the creditor sides in an account book On the left the number and sorts of shells sent are shown; on the right it is made plain that in exchange the Caroline islander expected to receive seven fishhooks, three large and four small, two axes, and two pieces of iron. The whole barter was faithfully and accurately carried out to everybody's satisfaction.

Wonderful Shaving Machine.

It is said that a wonderful shaving machine of wood has been made by one Melchoir Parkas, a convict in the penitentiary of the city of Szegelin Hungary. Farkas was put to labor in the cabinet-making shop of the prison. where he soon displayed great myentive ingenuity. With his machine beis said to have shaved all the amates of the prison, nearly 150 in number, in rather less than an hour.

The Climate of Coba. Snow is altogether unknown in Cuba. though ice sometimes forms at night after a continuance of northerly winds. The temperature ranges from 72 to 82 degrees.

Patti First Sang In Cuba.

It was in Cuba that Ardelina Patti sang for the first time in public, when whe was 14 years old. It was at a conwert and her success was complete.

THE LATEST WONDER

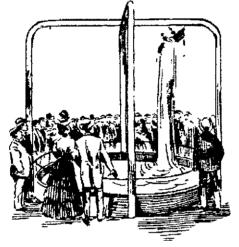
Wireless Explosion of Powerrui Submarine Mines.

A New and Curious Application of Electricity to Purposes of Warfare Recently Exhibited at London.

The latest wonder of wireless teleggraphy, says the Golden Penny of London, is the explosion of a submarine mine by electrical waves from a transmitter used in wireless teleghas usually held the post. The respon- raphy. In a showcase in one part of sible appointment comes to Lieut. In building is placed an automatic transmitter, which is insulated. A storage battery of four cells is placed in the lower part of the case, which feeds the primary of a four-inch spark coil, the current from the battery first passing through an automatic circuit breaker.

This automatic circuit breaker is so arranged that it will make and break the circuit in the same manner as a telegraph operator would when manipulating his Morse key in the act of calling. In this way it will be seen that the sparks from the secondary of the coil are intermittent, and their duration is governed by the length of time during which the automatic circuit breaker allows the circuit to be closed while making the dots and dashes. Immediately in front of the induction coil is placed the improved oscillator, which consists of two solid brass balls about four inches in diameter, as shown in our illustration, mounted so that the distance between them is adjustable.

Outside these balls are placed two smaller balls about an inch and a half in diameter attached to sliding brass rods, on the outer end of which are other balls one inch in diameter, so that the distance between the large and the small balls can be easily adjusted. The secondary terminals of the coil are connected to binding posts on the base of the oscillator. The distance between the balls being properly adjusted and the current turned on from the battery, the sound of the sec-



MINE EXPLODES WITHOUT CON-TACT. (A London Experiment Which May Lead to Marvelous Results)

ondary sparks passing between the balls can quite easily be recognized as the dots and dashes of the signal. In another part of the building, di-

rectly opposite and about two hundred feet distant, is placed the receiver, which consists of a Clarke coherer reiay and receiving instrument which has a large six-inch vibrating bell connected up in the local circuit, in addition to the telegraph sounder. This six-inch beil is continually ringing out the Morse signals, and by holding down the hammer of the bell the sounder can be distinctly heard repeating the same call.

In the center of a garden is placed a large tank of water, and a miniature warship is placed in this tank and floated over a submarine mine, which is connected to a coherer, relay and battery placed immediately outside of the tank. One terminal of the coherer is connected to earth and the other to an insulated wire rising about ten feet in the air.

When the time comes for exploding the mine under the ship, the oscillator is stopped and connection made in the tank between the coherer and the yibrating bell which is used for testing purposes. The oscillator is now started for an instant, to see if the bell at the tank rings, thus proving that the

coherer is in proper adjustment. The bell is now disconnected and connection made to the submarine mine instead, and at a signal from the attendant the man at the transmitter again presses the button, which throws the current into the oscillator The coherer completes the local circuit and the mine instantly explodes breaking the varship into splinters and throwing it and the water high it the air. Of course, it is understood that the mine is provided with an ordinary electric fuse

A Dangerous Book Agent.

New York has a book agent who literally makes business by hypnotism. At least that's what he used to do. Now be is in jail He turned in signed orders to his employers until they put him down as the best there was in the business. And it looks as if they had sized him up about right. The people whose names were signed to the orders claim that they don't know anything about them and the agent retorts that there is no reason why they should as he simply hypnotized them and had them sign under that Irfluence. If he can make his plen etak there is a lot of trouble ahead for lawyers and judges.

Rains when the Sun Shines.

In one of the Canary islands there is a free on the laurel family that oceasionally rains down in the early evening quite a copious shower of water drops from its tufted foliage. The water comes out through innumerable 'ittle pores situated at the edge of the

HIRAM W. SAWYER.

The Man Neminated for Gavernor by the Democrats of the State of Wisconsin.

Judge Hiram Wilson Sawyer, of Hartford, democratic nominee for governor of Wiscousin, has been a resident of Wisconsin 51 years, having come to the state with his parents from New Hampshire when he was four years old.

The family settled at Burnett, Dodge county, and his mother still resides on the farm during the summer, going to spend the winter with one of her daughters. His father, Hiram Sawyer, was one of the leading democrats of Dodge county, and represented his dis-



HIRAM WILSON SAWYER. (Democratic Cand date for Governor of Wisconsin)

trict in the legislature during the session of 1866.

Judge Sawyer grew up on the farm and was educated in the common schools, after which he went to Wayland university, at Beaver Dam, the most prominent educational institution in the vicinity. He taught school for a term, during which he read law. and was admitted to the bar in 1867. locating at Hartford in the same year. He was elected to the legislature in 1872 as a democrat, and reelected in 1873. At the session of 1874 he was one of the democratic leaders, and was the author of the resolution under which a joint committee of five members was appointed to examine into the question of railroad transportation and charges.

He was married September 28, 1870. to Miss Josephine Coxe, daughter of Judge Hopewell Coxe, of Hartford, one of his predecessors in the office of county judge of Washington county. They have four children-two sons and two daughters.

In 1884 he was the candidate of the democrats of the county for the congressional nomination, which, after a fight of two weeks in the convention at Beaver Dam, went to Gen. E. S. Bragg, though at one time Judge Sawyer came within one vote of the nomination. Each county in the district had a candidate before the convention, and the nomination was finally settled by a combination of the Bragg and Delaney forces from Fond du Lac and Dodge

In later years Judge Sawyer has been repeatedly urged to be a candidate for congress, but invariably refused. In 1881 he was elected county judge of Washington county and still holds the office, having been reelected at intervals of four years.

FERDINAND W. PECK.

Recently Appointed Commissioner-General to the Great Paris Exposition of 1900.

Americans who contemplate a journey to the Paris exposition in 1900 will be interested in the new commissioner-general to the exposition, named by President McKinley, Ferdinand W. Peck, of Chicago. He is thoroughly a western man, having been born in Chicago 50 years ago, graduating from its schools and universi-



(Commissioner General to the Paris Exposition of 1900)

ties, and afterward preparing for the practice of law in that city, though he has confined his business mainly to the management of his large estate. He has been one of the aggressive and progressive men of Chicago; is president of its Auditorium association, of its Athenaeum, and of the Illinois Humane society. He has served as vice president of the Chicago board of education, and is deeply interested in educational and art matters. He is specially fitted to represent us at the Paris exposition, because of his experience in connection with the world's fair. He was chairman of its finance. committee, and gave of his time and means to insure the success of Chicago's famous "white city." Mr. Peck married Miss Tilla Spaulding in 1872. ind Mrs Peck's social accomplishments have long been recognized. The ren commissioner is in every way well equinped for the performance of hi duties, and the president is to be ecufruiti'ated on the excellence of 5

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New Black Surah Berges and Silk Finished Henriettas 50, 75c and \$1.25

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We have just closed out an entire balance of a \$1 grade of Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves from an importer. They are made of fine quality of German kid and are exceedingly strong and durable. They are perfectly cut and made with lock stitch seams. They come in many handsome colors, including black white, pearlembridered backs and fastened with the new clasp. Tompkins' price, this week, 69c per pair.

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The Sale of School Supplies means to six its every youngster right. Crowds of bright boys and giris are bearing how far penales, whether and dimen can travel during this sale. Bnormous lots of lead pencils, tablets and slates are being snapped up. So arent in the encress that we will, this week, add further fuel to the bargains as follows:

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A Kingston Soldier's utery of the Piecomforts and Sufferings of the First Regiment in 'Tarantula Park"-Impossible to Keep Clean-Why Food Is

James S. Barber, of Co. M. First New York Volunteers, writes as follows to the Kingston Freeman:

Since May 2 we have pitched tents six times, but our last move, which was iron the race track here, to what we have named Tarantula Park, is simply terrible. It is the most miserable place we have ever struck. It is located at the base of Diamond Head and is simply a bed of red dirt. Previous to our arrival here, it was a field which was rank with lantaua shrubs, and was the home of ante, spiders, centipedes and tarantulas. These are still here, with the exception of the lantana, which has been cut by the sturdy hands of the New York "millionaires." The camping ground is: a close second to the notorious Camp Merritt, which was recently condemned. Our beds are made in this dust, and as the tents must necessarily be looped in order to prevent suffocation, and the wind is constantly blowing, the blankets and ponchos on which we sleep are covered with dust, which also silts into our packs. And then the officers expect us to keep clean! Impossible.

Are we disgusted? We are, and the senti ment is general throughout the regiment that unless we have better quarters and better food, a howl will go up which will bring some of the officials to a sense of right. Were we in a hostile country, where camping places were rare and food not easily procured, there would be an excuse for the treatment we are re-

The quartermaster sergeants of the companies are not to blame for the wretched and short supply of food, and the terrible heat. I think the troops the regimental commissary claims he is not to blame, saying the government allowance is not sufficient to feed bungry men, and there is no way of changing

One great trouble with the commissary department is that some son of a rich was who aspires for military fame gets: a commission and is detailed as quartermaster. His knowledge of the duties of the position is vague indeed. As he has never had any care as to how he should exist, his knowledge of the care of bundreds of others is limited to such an extent that those to whom he caters actually suffer.

This is shown in the way in which the regulars live. They live in luxury, compared with the volunteers. For instance, this morning, while we were regaling ourselves on fried salt pork, dry bread and coffee, they had not biscuit, butter, beefsteak and coffee. But the regulars have an experienced quartermaster, not a

Since the war began complaints have

been published of the quality and quantity of food furnished the men. In several instances the reports have been deund over the signature of some officer. Probably should my statement reach the eye of these gentlemen a denial would follow, but I sim prepared to prove by the signatures of a thousand of my comrades in the regiment that what I have written cannot be gains aid. Had we gone to the front and suffered the privaious we have, we would bave had little cause for complaint, but situated as we | Strong, who will be reinforced by two are, there is no possible excase for sleep- others from the State Engineer's office at ing in fifth and going to bed with an Albany. empty stomach.

tdvertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Miduletown postorice for the week ending Sept. 19th:

Austin, Mrs. Geo.
Rerrett, Mrs. Hettle
Crowford, M.s.
Doeser, Mrs. Ica M.
Perris, Miss. & E.
Fullet, Miss. Abt. e.
Kelly, Miss. May

Militan, Miss Hattie Mote, Miss Mattie Spring, Mrs. L., oure Reeve, Mr. Smith Miss Lou Trier Miss Mary Witter, Krithrine

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The 0, and W 's Box Pay Rolf.

The O and W. pay roll in this city, smil: "We were busy breaking twenty. i dollar bills for customers from the North Had all day long. The men all received BY J. CHEEVER GOODWIN AND WOOLSON MOESE | the rolls and they walk right around and settle ake little men for any indebtedness. incurred during the month.

At a special meetlag of the Board of Directors of the Middletown-Goshen Traction Company, held at the company's offices in New York city, last Saturday, Hugh H. Douglas was elected treasurer in piace of Chas. G. M. Thomas.

Gave Capt. Jackson Post a Pleasant

Capt, Wm. A. Jackson Post held a regular meeting, Tuesday night, and the ladies of the Relief Corps, who also held a meeting, surprised the members of the post with a spread. The evening was enjoyed immensely.

Assaulted by a Newro Farm Hand,

P. L. Ronk, over eighty years old, was assaulted and badly burn, in day or two ago, by a negra who had oreal employed. on his form near Newborgh, and whom ! he lead d scharged. The negro fied to es-

The future is uncertain, but if you keep ; your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparil'a you may be sure of good health.

NO FIT PLACE FOR A CAMP.

Governi Merriam Saya None Can He Found at Menolulu-The First New York's Wrotched Quarters-Troops unemid he Kopt on the Jaland As short a Time as Possible.

Major General Merriam, in command of the Department of California, who returned from Honolulu, Tuesday, said to the San Francisco correspondent of the New York Herald:

"It is hard to believe that good camping grounds cannet be found in the islands. Had anybody made this declaration to me before my trip I would have thought him prejudiced. There is absolutely no place whereon it would be sale to place American troops. Level ground is very ussanitary, and it is impossible to locate a camp on the upper ground. That practically covers my investigations in a sentence.

"It is necessary for the preservation of the health of the troops to have their camp in easy reach of water. They should not be too far distant from the sea, in order to permit salt water bathing. Nothing of that nature can be secared within miles of the sea.

"The First New York regiment is encamped four miles from Honolulu proper at a point called Diamond Head. The camp is worse than any we have had here. Although lumber is at hand to begin the erection of barracks there has not been any work done, for the reason that a good location has not been secured. The engineers and New Yorkers are in tests, and that, too, at a most disagreeable season of the year. The rainy season is just commencing and will certainly cause bardships for the unseasoned troops.

"The weather on the is lands was very depressing and I was compelled to lie down each alternoon to rest because of should be kept on the islands as short a time aspossible, as the weather draws the vitality from the men. The suggestion offered some time ago about sending all the troops to the islands and making them a base of supplies for the Philippines is prepost-rous. There would be a larger mortality than in all the camps in the United States put together. I believe that only a short stop, if any, will be made by the troops of the next expeditions to the Philippines."

■G n. Merrian said further when asked as to the complaints that the soldiers were poorly fed that anything of that kind was "out of the question.

SURVEYING ORANGE COUNTY ROADS State Engineers Making Surveys Pre-

liminary to Their Improvement. From the Goshen Independent.

For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors last spring, whereby some of the highways in Orange county will probably be improved as provided by the Highy-Amstrong Good Roads bill, the State Engineer and Surveyor, Monday, sent to Goshen a corps of civil engineers who will make a survey of different roads in the county and estimate the cost of their improvement and reconstruction. For the present they will make their headquarters in Gosheu, stopping at the St. Elmo Hotel.

The corps is composed of Douglas Corell. Frank Roberts and Frederick

They started on their work, Tuesday morning. Commencing at Chester, they will first survey the road from that village to Gosher, thence to Middletown and on to Unionville and Port Jervis. Other roads in the county will also receive attention from the corps.

Stella Snook Back in Port Jervis.

Stella Snook, the thirteen-year-old Port Jervis girl, whose mysterious disappearance caused much excitement a tew weeks a ro, is back in her old home. Her uncle, Abij ih Whitmore brought her from Union Hall, N. J., where she had secured employment, and where she was finally located. No explanation is given or the girl's reasons for leaving home.

Barn Burned at Vansurenville.

Mrs. Loretta Gregory's barn at Van Bureaville was totally destroyed by fire, Tuesday, was the largest that it has Monday night. E. E. Coakling held inbeen in months. One North street dealer | surance for \$500. Tramps are believed to have started the blaze.

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ind the Inquiring Reporter Found Himself Receiving an Ill-Merited Rebuke.

A mild-manuered youth on a local ewspaper's staff was sent out the other evening to gather particulars concerning a strike, says the Cleve-

He found promptly that a certain leader in the movement would probaoly know a great deal about the strikers' purposes and he determined to sunt him up. It took him some httle time to locate the home of the man, and when he found it not a light was it be seen. The young man stepped up to the door and rapped. There was to response. He rapped again. Then an upper window was opened and a lead appeared over the sill. "Who vos it?" floated down in a

hrill voice.

oung reporter. "Is Mr. Steiner at home?"

"Please tell him a gentleman wishes to see him."

yet, und asleep."

"Please tell him," said the young reporter, "that my business is impor-

The head projected itself still far-

"Go avay! go avay!" cried the shfill voice; "Gus don't bum around nights sc more!"

slam and the abashed reporter departed.

A QUEER REPTILE.

The Igunna of the West Indies Serves as Food and Tastes Like Chicken.

A Milwaukeean who spent zeveral years in Cuba before existing hostilipulsive in appearance.

the peculiar form of their teeth, these being round at the root, and beadlike, with separated edges toward the tip. resembling in this respect the gigantic extinct reptile iguanodon. typical forms belonging to this famly are distinguished by the large dewlap or pouch situated beneath the bead and neck, and by the crest, composed of slender, elongated scales, which extend in gradually diminishing height from the nape of the neck to the extremity of the tail.

fenseless.

MINE OF TIMBER.

quake in 1811 Exhumed in Missouri.

vast forest of wa'uut had been unthobe-Democrat, there have been anmembering that tast amounts of cedar wood have been dug up in various places, the farmers rejorted their observations, and the ground was exple red. It was four data be rich in trees of black walnut from 28 to 36 inches in diameter.

Secretary Wilson states that there are two parts to a valuat tree. The center consists of solid, black wood. and the rest of the tree is a soft, sappy growth, which is of little use for comhereigl purposes. In these new trees just uncarthed, the san has all rotted of 'enviry only the black heart, or solid portion, of the tree. This is found to be a fine specimen of walnut, with an unusual death of color.

A Traveled Dog.

Dangor, Me., has a tramp dog that is a traveler like the late postal dog Owney. This dog is a long, lean hound, inned by C. F. Shepley. He will not stay in his comfortable home, but baunts new-paper offices and the potice station, and when tired of Bangor reis on the first train he sees and journeys over the state. He always rale - in a sear until made to get down, u d invariably appoies at railroad rese thurants for food. Dewey (that's his wind) never gets lost, but, after a week or so on the roud here's back to Bangor acain as it he knew the way. Amas Conserva-

Two new gree late been discorers I which Prof. Ramsny and Mr. Firvers, of England, name "crypton" ind "nenn." What the discovery will amount to practically is not now in prestion; the interesting thing is that the atmosphere, so long regarded as simply a compound axygen and affrogen, has now here proved to contain four more constituent guses.

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Many Conventions, Nesting etc. Which Can be Attended at Very Little Lost.

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Sept. 27th to Oct. 2d, at New Castle, Pa., Pittsburgh Conference of Methodist (Free) Church.

Md., Brotherhood of St. Andrew:

Sept. 24th, at Omaha, Neb., Commerical Travelers' day Traus-Mississippi Exposition.

Sept. 27th and 29th, Washington, D. C., General Council Order of Eastern

The O. and W. will sell tickets at the rate of one fare for the round trip on account of the following:

Democratic State convention at Syracuse, tickets good going Sept. 27 and 28 and returning up to and including Oct.

Republican State convention, Saratoga, good going Sept. 24 to 27 and returning up to and including Sept, 30.

Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. Boston, good going Sept. 15 to 20 and returning up to and including Sept. 30.

Last Mary Powell Excursion of the Sea-

The last Mary Powell excursion of the season will be run by the Ontario and Western, on Thursday, Sept. 22d, at the popular price of one dollar for the round trip. Train will leave Wickham avenue at 7 a.m., and Main street two minutes later. Special trolley car will leave Goshen at 6:30 a.m., making connection with excursion train at Main street depot Middletown.

Returning, will leave Desbrosses street New York, 3:15 p. m. and West 22nd street at 3:30 p. m., arriving at Middletown at 7:10.

Special Bates on the Erie.

On account of the 22d Regimental Association reunion, to be held at Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 17th, the Eric will sell round trip tickets from Middletown to Elmira and return at the rate of \$8. Tickets on sale Sept. 16th and 17th.

The Erie makes rate of one and one third fare for round trip, Middletown to Utica, N. Y., on account of N. Y. S. C. E. State Convention, to be held at that place, Oct. 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th.

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and proof. Home proof is the best proof. Doan's Kidney Pdls are endorsed by

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In the town of Month Hopelon of mining the sur-day of March next
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FORNE, SEYBOLT, Administrator
JOHN P. MEDING Attorney for Administrator, It North struck Middletown, N. V.
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Than a pretty face with a iresh, bright ecomplexion: For it, use Por ont a Powder,

GUS HAD REFORMED.

and Plain Dealer.

"Good-evening, madam," said the

"Yas; he is home."

"Vell, you can't see him. He is abed

tant and that I wish he would come downstairs."

ther across the sill.

Then the window went down with a

ties were dreamed of tells of a queer little reptile—a native of the West Lndies and other tropical isles-that serves as food and to the unintiated might readily pass for chicken. The iguana, as the creature is known among savants of animal lore, belongs to a barmless branch of the lizard families and outwardly bears a resemblance sufficiently close to make it re-The iguanas are characterized by

The species of the family in Cuba attain a growth of five feet. In color they are a peculiar greenish shade. corresponding with the feliage and underbrush, into which they dive and hide. They live on the luxuriant tropical vegetation, and get sleek and fat from excessive eating and sleeping. Naturalists say that the iguana is a most timid creature and equalit de-

A Wainut Forest Baried by Earth.

Secretary Watson of the lumbermen's exchange reported the other day that within the last two months a earthed in southeast Missouri. In 1811 an earthquake in that part of the state resulted in the linking of large tracts of land. Since then says the St. Louis nual floods in that district, each year adding to the accretions. Less than two months ago two farmers walking through a part of the district noticed what to their eyes seemed to be the e als of walnut trees sticking out of the sunken places and tipped over. Re-

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS, WARHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21. - In-Creasing cloudiness, to-night, showers, Thursday night; lightvariable winds becoming easterly.

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the their momentum at Pronk's drug store. to-day: 7 a. m., 46°; 12 m., 69°; 3 p. m., 70°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Sept. 22-Oyster supper and dance by Gen. Lyon W. R. C., at Nearing Hall. -S-pt. 22-Mary Powell excursion.

Sept. 23-Black Parti's trophadours, at Ca-CONGRESSIONAL CONTENTION.

The Democrats of the Strenteenth Congressional District of the State of New York are acreby requested to send delegates to a convention, to be held in Middletown, N. T., at the Califa, on the 7th day of the other 1895, at 12 union a Democratic candinate for Member of Congression and district, and to transact such other business an early district, and to transact such other business as many properly come before and renyes. were as may properly come beto e said conven-tion.

By order of Congres ional Committee.

Dated September 10th, 1888.

A. S. EMBLER, Chairman.

DEMOCRATIC NUMINATIONS.

For Member of Assembly (Second District). DANIEL P. SCHULTZ, of Port Jervis,

According to an estimate published in to-day's Tribune, Black has 233 delegates to the Republican State Convention and Roosevelt 738. The estimate gives Roosevelt the solid vote of Orange, Sullivan and Rockland counties and this is probably correct for Boss Odell. of course, saw to it that no delegates were elected in his district, who could not The depended on to "stand without being hitched."

One of the lures dangled by Platt be-Iore Roosevelt at their conference was undoubtedly the possibility that an election as governor might lead to the Presidential nomination in 1900. That McKinley believes the Presidential succession was talked over is shown by the in the snow storm. renewed interest that he is manifesting in Gov. Black's candidacy and the boast of Black's friends that if necessary the President will give the Governor his | Intyre, of the battleship Oregon, has been open support.

The United Colored Democracy of Greater New York invites the colored Democrats of all the counties in the State to send delegates, three from each Assembly district, to a convention to be held at Syracuse, Oct. 4, for the "purpose of taking steps looking to the organization of the colored voters of the State into one solid democratic phalanx; to discuss material betterment; to endorse the Democratic State ticket; and to map out a line of aggressive campaign work."

Representative Builey, of Texas, the Democratic leader in the House, who opposed the asne of bonds for war purposes until other means of providing the mecessary funds had been exhausted, would be more than human if he did not now say, "I told you so." Events have proved the soundness of his position for when Congress meets the surplus in the Treasury above the gold reserve will be greater than the amount received from the sale of bonds. The surplus, will not, however, bother the Republican House or Senate. The dissipation of surpluses is the one branch of legislation in which Republicans pre-eminently excel.

The Troy Times, Gov. Black's most aggressive newspaper organ, was quick to eatch on to Mr. Odell's foolish remark about delegates who will "stand without being hitched." It rates him soundly for assuming that four men "whose only prominence arises from their perwersion and betrayal of minor trusts" can usurp the rights and privileges of the whole Republican party, and for his egotism and discourtesy "in expressing in the language of the stable and the vocabulary of the hostler" his boast that he and his associates have throttled all independence and individuality in the Republicans of this State. The Times concludes its article by saying:

This cheap masquerading of little men in the garments of bossism will not be tolerated by the Republican party. That party has a record for making the slavedriver's occupation unprofitable.

The arte upt of four men to usurp the presognives and functions of the Republican State convention will not be

meskly endured. The Republican delegates will not atand it without bitching. And the hitch will be in the programme of Messrs. Odell, Quigg, Barnes and Gibbs.

DAILY ARGUS YELLOW

Case on a Transport at Montank.

Arrest of a Young Man for Complicity in the Crime.

Unmistakable Case of Yellow Fever on a Transport From Siboney.

SY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

New York, Sept. 21.-Camp Wikoff officials received a decided setback, today, when the transport Saguraucia arrived from Cuba, having on board sick and convalescents from the hospital at Siboney, there being one unmistakable 2ase of yellow fever on board.

The transport has not yet been boarded, as the boarding officer, Dr. Magruder, having been ordered back to Washington, as no yellow fever were cases expected, and when the transport arrived there was no regularly appointed quarantined officer to go out to her. It was finally decided to send a surgeon from the camp to inspect the vessel. How many soldiers she has on board is not vet known.

The arrival of the ship will necessitate the re-opening of the detention hospital.

THE BRIDGEPORT MURDER MYSTERY HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 21-Walter C. Foster, a young man employed as salesman by the Fleischmann Yeast Co. here, was arrested, this morning, for alleged complicity in the Bridgeport murder mystery. The arrest was made at the instance of the Bridgeport police.

MURDER STORY FROM THE KLONDIKE SEATTLE, Sept. 21 .- George Bowman, of Bridgeport, Conn., was murdered, last winter, during a snow storm by a companion named Johnson, of Springfield, Mass. He was almost in sight of the Golden Mecca when his strength failed and he sank down in the snow. Johnson, who was the leader of the party. went back to him and blew out the unfortunate man's brains with a re-

This is the story told by J. C. Saces, who has just returned from Alaska. His partner, Edward T. Calboun, of Yonkers, N. Y., witnessed the deed which was committed near their cabin, a short distance from Dawson. Calhoun, too.nearly lost his life from a bullet from Johnson's revolver. Nothing was ever heard of Johnson. It is presumed he perished

CHAPLAIN M'INTYRE ILL.

DENVER, Sept. 21.—Chaplain J. P. Mc. stricken with nervous prostration. It is probable that the court martial to convene in Denver, next week, for his trial on a charge of having unfairly criticised the actions of Admiral Sampson and Captain Evans in the Santiago naval battle, will be obliged to postpone pro-

TERRIBLE FLOODS IN SPAIN. Madrid, Sept. 21-The southern part

of Spain has been visited by terrible measures relative to our political and floods. At the village of Heriera, near Cadiz, eighty persons have been drowned. A great number of cattle have pershed and the olive barvest is lost. There have been many lives lost throughout the flooded country.

REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL NOMIN-ATIONS.

Buffalo, Sept. 21.—The following Republican Senatorial nominations were made, to-day: Forty-seventh District, N. W. Norton; Forty-eighth District, Simon Sebert: Forty-ninth District, George A. Davis.

DR. KENNEDY INDICTED FOR MURDER New York, Sept. 21.—The Grand Jury, to-day, filed an indictment for murder in the first degree against Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy, who is accused of the murder of Emeliae C. Reynolds, in the Grand Hotel ou Aug. 6.

A NURSE FOR DR. WINANT.

A Movement to Insure the Best of . are for a Brave Soldier.

Frank Harding, of the Orange Co. Trust Company, is fathering a plan to send a trained nurse to care for Dr. Frank I.

The nurse has been selected and will go to-morrow morning, to the bedside of the San Juan hero at his parents' home in Hasbrouck, Sullivan county. Mr. Harding is receiving contributions for this purpose. He believes that the man who had a chance to flank in war and dida't, should be kept alive if good care will avail.

Dr. Hanner reports that his patient is doing tairly well.

Why It Grew Cold - o huddenly.

The sudden touch of cold which Tuesday's north wind gave the air is explained by the incl that in many places in Canada had and snow left, Monday night, and a snow storm raged in the White Mountains, the peaks being capped with white, Tuesday, and the drifts in Mt. Washington being several feet deep. New Hampshire weather prophets predict an unusually severe winter.

CURE FOR ASTHMA.

DISCOVERY OF A LEADING PHYSICIAN

A Poublic Test Will be Made To-morrow at M. C. Tuthill's Brug Store.

All day to-morrow free sample package of the celebrated "Schiffmann's Asthma Cure" will be given away at R. C. Tuthill's drug store, 27 James street. The doc or wants each sufferer from

Asthma, Hay Fever or Bronchitie in this city to call and get one. When asked regarding his reasons for giving his remedy away in this manner, he said: "People are naturally skeptical about an asthmaremedy, and when you consider the number of so called 'cures' on the market you can hardly blame them. Now I claim that my Cure cures. It will instantly relieve that most violent attack. It has permanently cured thousands, who had been considered incurable. If I did not believe it why should I be giving it away? The sufferer who gets a sample package can tell in two minutes whether it is as I represent it, and it doesn't cost him a cent. That is fair isn't it?"

It certainly does not look as if anything could be fairer. Those living out of town can get a free sample by writing their name and address (only) on a post card addressed Dr. R. Schiffmann, 315 Rosabel street, St. Paul, Minn., up to Sept. 30th; not later.

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-Greanlated sugar 30: for 7 lbs. at J W \$loat's -Automa goods at The Fair. See adv. -- Drawing at Greening's.

- I Petersakers apprectice wanted. --- Cottago fiotel entertainments. -Giris wanted at Threll Hospital.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, to-

day.

—The Monbagen Lake mains will be blown off, to night. -The famous singer, Black Patti, at

the Casino, Friday night. -Eagle Hose Company will hold a

special meeting, to-night. -Remember that this is the last week

of vaudeville at Midway Park. -The police have a black lace collarette which was found on the street.

-A force of masons under Harry Hadden is "pointing up" St. Paul's M. E. Church.

-Last Mary Powell excursion of the season, via O. and W., next Thursday,

-John R. Proctor will hold his annual clam bake at Greycourt, Sept. 22. Bakes will be served at 1 and 7:30 p. m. -The last Mary Powell excursion of

the season, to-morrow. Don't miss it. A grand sail and for fifty cente you can -Jacob Gunther has purchased a mod-

ern phonograph of the Columbia Phonograph Company, through the agency of Irving H. Rhodes. -Don't fail to attend Sylvanus Green s

at 10 Houston avenue, rain or shine. Terms at sale, no reserve. -The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's Church will meet at | other camp duties.

4 p. m., to-morrow, with Mrs. C. W. Rogers, 46 East avenue. -The city's reservoirs were never in worse condition than now. Monhagen Lake is greener than any other frog

pond is Orange county. -The Augic-Swiss Condensed Milk Company is pushing forward to completion a commodious, modern-equipped stable opposite the condensery, on Canal

-"Lost, Strayed or Stolen," siter its five weeks run at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, is billed to appear at the Ca- ever again." sino, next Monday evening. There are thirty-five people in the company.

-Those who heard the Black Patti at the Cusino, a few years ago, will not forget her "Suwanee River," and they will be on hand to hear her, Friday night. She is the sweet-st singer who ever appeared before an audience at the Casino.

PERSONAL.

-Mrs. B. S. Keeler and Howard Keeler went to Starkey, N. Y., to-day. -Miss Jenaie Hallock returned to Pas-

-Dr. Jackson, a prominent tenor of New York, is visiting friends in this city.

saic, to-day,

-Supervisor Cook went to New York, to-day, and to-night will attend the weeding of his sister.

-Miss Florence L. Decker went, Tuesday, to Sing Sing to enter Ossining Sem- | pation of it before buying. inary for young ladies.

-M. J. McNulty, of Co. D. 16th Regiment, U.S. I., is visiting his brother-inlaw. James Lord, in this city.

-The Port Jervis Union says that Assembiyman Schultz, whose illness has been noted, has typhoid fever.

-Jack Lawler has returned to this city after a very successful season with the Canandargua base ball team.

-Miss Kyte, of Deckertown, who has become vary popular in this city during the past ten days, returned home, Tues-

-Mrs. Joseph Walling, of Mountain View, N. J., arrived in this city, Tuesday night. Her mother, Mrs. Vail, is quite

-C. H. Halstead, proprietor of the American House, 42 and 44 Front street, Port Jervis, was in this city, to-day, on

-Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Sweezyleft, Therday afternoon, for a visit of two days with relatives at Middletowu.-Port Jervis

Gazette. -James J. Kirkpatrick, who has been confined to his home on South street for

town, to-day, nurse, returned to this city, to-d y, after seven weeks' care of Captain Bambridge Hoff, C. S. N. He tells an interesting story of sailor life as besaw it in the Naval Hospital, Brooklyn.

-Mrs. Hardenburgh received, Tuesday, shortly after noon, a cablegram from her husband, Dr. D. B. Hardenburgh. It was sent from Southampton, where the steamer, Kaiser Wilhelm de Grosse, touched. The doctor's message was brief, but it conveyed the news that he was well, and had had a very quick and very pleasaut voyage.

-Lewis J. Surdam and George B. Chadwick, from Taunton, Mass., were in this city. Tuesday. Mr. Chadwick is connected with one of the leading papers of Taunton. Mr. Surdam is the son of Ira E. Surdam, who was for many years the proprietor of a novelty store in this city. He has been for several years physical director of the Taunton Y. M. C. A., and on October 1st, will become director of the New Bedford Association. His first training in gymnetics was received while a member of the Y. M. C. A. of this city.

Late Arptember Pear blesseras.

Thomas Hennessey, of Circleville, brought to this office, to-day, a bunch of pear blossoms plucked from a tree in his 25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET garden.

GOV. BLACK ASKED TO HELP.

Representative Chisens of Kingston

Tolis of the First New York's Wors Former Senator Jacob Rice and Col. onel Everett, of Kingston, a committee representing the citizens of that municipality, waited upon Governor Black. Tuesday afternoon, and presented a petition adopted at an indignation meeting held in that city Monday night, requesting the Governor to use his juffu: ence to bring about reforms in the treatment of Company M, 1st New York State Volunteer Regiment, in service at Hono-

It is alleged in the petition that members of that compay have suffered from lack of food and from ill treatment on the part of the regimental officers.

Governor Black promised to give the matter his immediate attention, and to communicate with the president with a view of correcting the alleged existing evils.

The San Francisco correspondent of the New York Herald was asked, Tuesday, by a member of the First New York. who had reached that city, to make publie a complaint as to conditions at Camp McKinley in order that public opinion might force the military authorities to do something to relieve the woes of the unfortunates quartered in it. In addition to reiterating complaints

as to the insufficiency and bad quality of the food, the Herald's informant said that the troops are quartered in a camp which for disease breeding puts Camp Merritt, in San Francisco, into the shade. In the engineer corps alone, be declared, the number of new names on the sick roll averages thirty per day. furniture sale, to-morrow, at I o'clock, Sick men were sent to the hospital for a day or two and then ordered back to their companies before they were strong enough to stand the fatigue of drill and

THE WAR ON COAL PRICES.

A Frediction That the Day of High Prices Is Over Here-The O. and W's *ales Agents Precipitated the War.

The coal war continues and it's going te keep right on continuing and one dealer announces that the day of exorbitant coal prices in this city has passed. Said be:

"You'll not see chestaut coal delivered in your home for \$5.85 in a long time, if

Coal is now delivered for from \$4.40 to \$4.80 per ton, according to the terms made with the dealer.

The O. and W. coal is the cause of it all. Dickson & Eddy, the O. and W.'s coal sales agents, claim that this road leaves an average of \$60,000 in this city every month, which goes right into the coffers of the merchants. Consequently the firm claims that a share of it should be expended for O. and W. coal, and having failed to get a reasonable share of Middletown coal trade on a high price basis they are going for it on a low price

The dealers are waiting to see what farther steps are likely to be taken by the agent who sells O. and W. coal before making any decisive move. He claims that coal will be still cheaper in this city and many are waiting in antici-

ONLY FIVE SOLDIERS LEFT.

Convalencents, as They Leave Thrall Hospital, Carry Away Grateful Bem-

There are only five soldiers left at Thrall Hospital, and this number will be reduced to four if Private Phillips starts for his home in Tennessee, to night, as he expects to do.

The soldiers all speak in terms of most grateful enthusiasm of the treatment they may have received at the hospital. Short as has been their stay here they all say it has been of great help to them and they all carry away with them pleasant memories of the kindness and warm-hearted hospitulity of the people of Middletown.

A Dishonest Station Agent.

The new management of the New England Railroad has discovered that the agent of the road at a station in Dutchess county has, for years, been adding to his income by systematically raising the past two weeks by sickness, is so freight bills and collecting more than the much improved as to be able to walk up bills called for. From one merchant alme he has collected overcharges -Burt Hackett, the well-known trained amounting to \$300, all of which he pocketed. From farmers and others shipping from this station he is supposed to have also collected more than the company got.

A Cool Headed Youngster Saved a

Bertha Steiner, a little Newburgh girl. was playing about a fire in the street, Tuesday, when her dress caught fire and she would have been severely and per- | married at 2 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, haps fatally wounded, if Johany i' van, I at the home of the bride's parents. The a boy who was playing mac had not pulled off his coat, wrapped it round, Newson. her and extinguished the fluores.

A Change of Base.

S. Grant Terwilliger has burch is dithe carriage business of his rather, L. C. Terwilliger, and will remove to 249 North street, formerly occupied by the | tions it stands without a rival. Thous-Empire State Wagon Company. L. C. Terwilliger will remain in charge of the woodwork and blackemithing depart-

State Sankers' Amoetation. On Friday the New York State

Bankers' Association will leave Weebawken at 1:20 p. m. on a special O. and W. train in charge of Exension Agent W. M. Tiel, for Liberty. They will spend three days at the Wawonda.

A MESSAGE FROM CANADA.

Coorde Livingston felle Horton Swalm

Where He Can Recover the Mig stelen from Sim. There is nothing mean about George Livingston, borne thief. He was arrested

for stealing horses from H wood C. Nozoa and Horton Swalm, of mear Bloomingburgh on the night of Aug. 9, and was committed to Goshen jail, from which he escaped the last time that "der chail was ondt.'

He made his way to Canada and found a safe refuge in Ottawa from which he bas written Mr. Swalm telling him where he may recover his horse, wagon and harness. Mr. Noxon's horse had already been recovered but of Mr. Swaim's no traces were found, and while Livingston was in custody he could not be persuaded to open his lips as to the disposition made of the property.

Mr. Swalm went to the address given in New York. He found the wagon and harness at a livery stable, and they were surrendered to him on payment of \$3 for storage. The man who had the horse in his possession, refused to give it up unless paid the \$34, which he said he had paid Livingston for the animal. He claims that he made the purchase in good faith, but will find that gives him no title to stolen property, for, if neceseary, Mr. Swalm will invoke the aid of the law for the recovery of his property.

OBITUARY.

William E. Tucker. From Our Haven Correspondent.

William E. Tucker died at 8:35 o'clock.

Tuesday morning, of Bright's disease, from which he had suffered for some time but which confined him to the house for only about two weeks.

He was born at White Lake, sixty six years ago. He served in the war, having been a member of Co. K,124th Regiment,

He moved to Haven eighteen years ago and during the years he lived there won a warm place in the bearts of all in that community. He was a good citizen, and a kind friend and neighbor, being always willing to help in time of neer)

He is survived by his wife, whom he married forty-one years ago, and the following children, all of whom have grown to manhood: Ira. of Middletown; Chauncey and John, of Jersey City, and William, David, Henry and Bert at home.

ALDERMAN WALDORF IN LUCK.

Mrs. 'cal's Suit Against Sim in Sullivan County Dismissed by Judge Pursman

In the Sullivan County Supreme Court. Tuesday, the suit of Catherine E. Teal against Alderman George Waldorf, of this city, was tried. Mrs. Teal's son was arrested in 1894

came his bondsmen, Mrs. Teal transferring property to them as a guarantee against loss by the risk they had as-Teal jumped his bail and Mr. Waldorf expended about \$400 in hunting him down and rearresting him. In order to only one wember of the Health Board. get her property back Mrs. Teal had to

expenses and she then sued to recover the amount paid. The Judge, after plaintiff's testimony was in, dismissed the complaint on the ground that a cause of action had not

ORANGE COUNTY W. C T. U.

Sixteenth Aunual Convention In Session at Newburkh.

At the sixteenth annual convention of the Orange County W. C. T U., which began in Newburgh, to-day, the afternoon execises were opened with prayer by Mrs. B. Wood, of to is city.

delivered an address on "Reminiscences of Twenty-five Years " Among the superintendents of depart-

Miss Emma B. Shafer, of Pine Bush,

ments who reported were: Mrs. Joel Whitten, Miss Shafer, Pine Bush; Mrs.

M. E. Young, Miss Ella Lendrum. Mrs. W. J. Groo, of this city, and Mrs. M. E. Devo, of Pine Bush, are expected to pay tributes to the memory of Mrs. Mary T. Burt, late president of the State Union. The convention will continue in session, to morrow.

The Fire Alarm Boxes Inspected.

The fire boxes having all been painted Chief Higham made a tour of inspection in the patrol wagon, Tuesday. He loosened the doors, many of which were stuck fast by paint, and made sure that all the boxes were ready for use.

Hymeneal Notes,

over pain.

-George Fuller, of Quarryville, and Miss Jennie Halstead, of Westtown.were ceremony was performed by Rev. W. S.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

Entertained Her Friends—To Step the Slowing Sff steam Nutranco-Escaped Prisoners Located-Takon to the Reformatory.

From Our Ragular Correspondent.

-Miss Mabel Gibson entertained a number of her young friends, last evening, at her home.

-The Board of Trustees has determined to abate the nuisance caused by blowing off steam from engines on the Montgomery Branch, in the early morning hours, and will cause the arrest of the offending engineers.

-Sheriff Strong has located several of the recently escaped prisoners. They are yet at large, however. -Mrs. George R. Graham is quite se-

riously ill at her home on Golden Hill

-Robert Ladue, bookkeeper at Reeve & Kelsey's, is taking a vacation.

-H. R. Brockway was at Goshen, yesterday, and took four prisoners to the Elmira Reformatory.

A NEW SECRET ORDER.

Waalkiil Conclave, No. 591, Improved Order Heptasophs.

Deputy Supreme Organizer Frank P. Tvier was present, last evening, at the meeting of Waalkill Conclave of Heptasophs, Middletown's newest secret organization. Ezra Healey, an officer in his conclave, which is located in New Haven, Cong., was also present. The officers are:

Past Archou-Thomas K. DeWitt. Archon-James H. Harding.

Provost—Alex K. Dewey. Prelate—James E. Campbell, Secretary—J. C. Mullison, Financier-Harry W. Tutbill. Treasurer-Harry D. Suderly. Inspector-Isaac L. Odell. Warder-Thomas J. Ludlum. Sentinel-Frank A. Mundy.

Trustees-Alex K. Dewey, John E. Adams and H. B. Kingsland. Other conclaves are being organized in Port Jervis, Newburgu and other places

in this section of the State. The supreme conclave of this order will be held in Buffalo next June and the local conclave will be represented at that meeting.

The organization is an insurance order. It meets in Umpqua Tribe's rooms, the second and fourth Wednesdays. It starts off with a membership of 26, though the charter list will be kept open for a few days.

Wos Theron Snider's Name Forged?

Before Surrogate Howell, in Newburgh, Tuesday, testimony was given as to the genuineness of the signatures of the late Theron Snider, of Walden, as endorser by the United States authorities and Mr. on three notes. His executor denies lia-Waldorf and a man named Prince bebility on the ground that the signatures were forged. One of the notes is held by the Fowler Hardware Company, of Walden, and Abram. Linderbeck, of Ulster

pay Mr. Waldort the amount of his Registrar of Vital Statistics C.C. Lutes was the only member of the Board of Health who responded to the call for a special meeting and an adjournment was taken until to-night.

Obituary Notes.

-The body of Thomas Bray, formerly of Port Jervis, who died at his home in Braceville, O., Sunday, was brought to Port Jervis, Tuesday, for burial. Death was due to injuries received in a railroad wreck four years ago.

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Military District—The Natives Want queen Eff Again-Different Legislative Forms Asked For.

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te gev nont for Hawaii and am so k ng for myself, however, and it for the commission, I am inclined to nh that you will have only a territogovernment at present. You have et a led for state government, and I Wist very much if the commission will and one. As the territory of wa i you will have your own legislaare, of which you will elect the memers. The territorial officers to be appointed by President McKinley will be

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governor and secretary, a United States district attorney, whose duties tre similar to those of your attorney meral, but who only acts in cases in hich the United States is interested, and a United States marshal, who performs the same duties as your present marshal, but only in United States business. The United States will, of course. take charge of the custom house and postal department, but in all other matters you will be your own masters.

You will make your own laws, subject to the approval of congress. The territory of Hawaii has a great future before it, and with the increase of population and business that must come from annexation and all that is implied by it the road to statehood cannot be a long one. The opening of the Nicara-guan canal, an enterprise which must be carried to consummation in a very short period, will still further advance the prosperity of the islands."

A mass meeting of natives will be held in the immediate future, when resolutions asking for the restoration of Liliuokalani will be adopted.

The Planters' association has presented a memorial to the commission asking for an extension of time that they may he in a position to regulate new_labor conditions.

The Chamber of Commerce in a memorial asks for a territorial form of government, while the Bar association wants the judicial system of the islands to remain unchanged.

Senator Culiom has announced that the land laws of the United States do not apply to the public lands of Hawaii. The local land laws remain in force. Mr. Dole for the time being still signs as "president of the republic of Hawall," and processes of court will run as heretofore.

Antone Rosa, the well known Has waiian lawyer and ex-attorney general, lied Sept. 9, aged 43 years.

Princess Kauilani's reception in honor of the American-Hawalian commission, given at Amahau on the 7th, was a brilliant success. General Merriam and staff, General King and staff, Colonel Barber and staff, government officials, army and navy officers, ex-Queen Liliuokalani and several hundred prominent society people of the city attended.

Two Well Known Rubbers Captured. NEW YORK, Sept. 21.-Two men believed to be leaders in a gang of thisy's which has secured more than \$25,000 worth of booty in the last two weeks. were locked up at police headquarters costerday afternoon. The men give the names of Frederick Heyt and Ernes! Schieff, but both are said to be old of inders and known to the police as kill d professional housebreakers. Un ier the names of Monk and Cornell Hoyl has been arrested several times, and it s said he has served one term in prisor for a robbery committed in this city some years ago. Schlett is also known is Fischer, and he too is said to be ar x-convict. The immediate charge goinst them is the rolliery of a flat at Elest Ninety-fourth street a few days

An Astronomical Discovery,

POCTON, Sept. 21.-A cable message men Dr. Krentz of the European Union d Astronom is to Meyrs, Chandler and Withhe of Boston announces the disovery of a sharlike condensation in the enter of the nebula of Andromeda by Saraphin of Palkowa, If this indicates change in the condition of the well Known object, the discovery will be of

Condolence For a Dismissal.

PEKING, Sept. 21.-The diplomatic Representatives of Kussia, France, B.4. gion, Spain and Holland have called don Li Hung Chang to condole with nen upon his dismissal from the Chise e force n office. Much comment has on excited by the action of these min-

Socialism and the Kniser. DERLIN, Sept. 26.- The police auhorities have prohibited the holding of tive projected socialist meetings in Headency, sailed for the purpose of Legiczing Lie eror William's recent thech remarking the imprisonment of he provokers of strikes.

Mussulmana Retain Their Martinia. to (NIM)N. Sept. 21. The Times' Canim correspondent says the Mussulmans ste only yielding up obsolete arms and have not yet brought in any Martini



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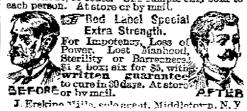
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MONUMENT FOR WINNIE DAVIS. Richmond Chapter Will Henor "The Daughter of the Confederacy," RICHMOND, Sept. 21 .-- At a meeting of Richmond chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, held yesterday, the fol-

lowing was adopted: The Richmond chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, have at a meeting at Lee Camp hall, Sept. 20, resolved to inaugurate a movement to erect a monument over the grave of Winnle Davis, 'The Daughter of the Confederacy,' feeling sure that this work will meet with the sympathy of all lovers of the south—Daughters of the Confederacy; Veterans' associations, Sons of Veterans and many others over the whole country. The said chapter requests that all who desire to join them in this work of love will send in their names at once, as it is the intention of the chapter to have the monument commenced in January, 1899," The chapter will attend the funeral

The Funeral Arrangements.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, Sept. 21 .-When the body of Winnie Davis reaches Kingston Junction, R. I., tomorrow morning, it will be placed on a funeral car of the Pennsylvania railroad to be attached to the Colonial express of the New Haven road. The body will reach Washington at 9:45 p. m. and leave that place for Richmond at 4:30 a. m. Friday. The hour for holding the final services has not been decided upon.

Becision on Revenue War Stamp. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.-Assistant Secretary Spalding of the treasury department has rendered a decision that an internal revenue war stamp of \$5 need not be affixed to manifests of foreign vessels covering cargoes to be conveyed in the ships from one port to another in the United States for transportation to a foreign country, but that such a stamp must be placed on the manifests of the cargo at the port of export from this country. He calls the attention of collectors to the requirements of the war revenue act relating to stamps on shippers' manifests, they being of a different character from the masters' manifests of goods exported. The decision relieves masters of foreign going vessels of the necessity of affixing stamps on manifests except at the final port of export.

West Pointer Suspended For Hazing. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 .- By the terms of a court martial sentence, approved by the president, a cadet has been punished for hazing at West Point. In the army orders published yesterday it is announced that "Cadet Philip S. Smith, third class, United States Military academy, having been tried and found guilty of harassing and annoying fourth class men, in violation of paragraph 140, regulations United States Military academy, and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, under the sixty-second article of war, by a general court martial convened at West Point, N. Y., was gentenced 'to be suspended from the United States Military academy, without pay, until Aug. 28, 1899, at which date he vill join the then third class."

Five Injured by Falling Scaffold.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 21.-Five workmen engaged in the construction of a new wing at the Rhode Island hospital in this city were injured yesterday by the fall of a staging on which they were at work. It is feared that two of the men, Patrick Martin, a mason, and George Abbott, a bricklayer, will die. Martin is unmarried and about 27 years of age. He sustained a fracture of the spine. Abbott is 37 years of age and married. His skull was fractured, and he was otherwise injured. The staging was about 40 feet from the ground, and the accident is supposed to have been due to the giving way of a cross brace on which rested one end of the planks on which the men stood.

Parther Disposition of Cavalry, WASHINGTON, # Sept. 21. -- Orders were issued yesterday to the commanding officer at Montauk directing that headquarters and one battalion of the

First United States cavalry, to be designated by the resimental commander. will proceed to Fort Riley, Kan., and the remainder of the regiment to the department of Dakota, to relieve the troops of the Eighth cavalry. The horses of the First cavalry will be sent with the other cavalry horses to be shipped to Huntsville, Ala., for the use of the Eighth cavairy upon its arrival, to be replaced by horses of the Eighth cavalry, which will be left at their present station.

Fifth Regiment Was Well Treated. BOSTON, Sept. 21.-Governor Welcott returned yesterday from Antigiam. His excellency received a letter from Colonel Whitney of the Fifth regiment, written in regard to the statements which have appeared in some papers that the Fifth was short of rations, Colone; Whitney states that there has been no lack of food for every man in the camp since his arrival at Camp Meade. Colonel Whitney said in closing his letter, "We have no complaint to make of any kind over our treatment while stationed

Mr. Chamberlain Visits Portland. PORTLAND, No., Sept. 21.-Hight Hon, Joseph Chamberlain British secretury of state for the colonies, arrived here yesterday afternoon to visit the Hon, William L. Putnam and inspect the city of Portland and surroundings. During the afternoon Judge Putnam and his guest were driven about the city. Mr. Chamberlain and Judge Putnam later lunched with Captain Rogers at Fort Proble.

Disminifling the Monitor Catskill. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.- The Massachusetts naval reserves who were on board the menitor Catskill left for their homes yesterday. The old monitor was taken out of commission yesterday and will be dismantled and placed among the other war vessels at League Island havy yard.

Democratic Delegates Elected. CATSECLE, N. Y., Sept. 21.--Frank H. Osborn, Henry S. Duncan and George B. Van Valkenburg were yesterday elected delegates to the Democratic state convention from Greene county, They were uninstructed and unpledged.

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As Error.

Hostess (to ger-tleman her husband has brought home to dinner)-How well you speak English, Mr. --

- (not understanding)-I ought to. I have lived here all my life. In fact, I was born in New York. Hostess-Why, how strange! I am

sure my husband told me that you were a Bohemian.—Harlem Life.

Obeyed Orders. Gertie (returned home)-Mrs. Jones

gave me a nice piece of cake. Gertie's Mother-Did you ask for it? Gertie-M'm.

Mother-And I told you not to. Gertie-No. mamma. You told me not to ask for everything I saw. I didn't see the cake; it was in the pantry.-Boston Transcript.

Wanted the Newest.

"What kind of a sickle do you want?" said the hardware dealer to Farmer Persimmons, who had asked to see something of the kind.

"I want the latest improvements," replied the agriculturist. "Let me see the fin de sickle I'm allers seein' mentioned in the papers."—Harlem Life.

After the Honeymoon.

The Bride-I had no idea that you spent all of you income. I thought you saved money every year.

The Husband-I will from now on. We are married, my dear, so of course, there will be no more theaters, carriages, little suppers and the like, you know.-Town Topics.

Difference of Opinion. "Young man," said the elderly gen-

tleman to the savey small boy, "gray hairs should be respected."

"That ain't what my sister says." replied the small boy. 'She says they should be pulled out."-Harper's

A Helpful Bint.

Gentleman (meeting old negro who is very much battered)—"Why, what's the matter, Uncle?"

"Oh, nuffin', boss, but ef yo' eber got scan'leus tings ter say about eh mule yo' want 'er say dem ter hees face."— N. Y. Truth.

He Was Silenced. She-After all you must admit that

women are better than men.

He-Oh, I don't know. The Bible doesn't say anything about seven devils being cast out of a man.

She No, of course not; he has every one of them yet.—Chicago Record. Couldn't Score # Hit.

She-I suppose your wife misses you

during your long absence. He-Oh, yes. But she does that

aben I'm at home. She-Why, how can that be?

He-Well, you see her aim is very insceurate.--Chicago Record. The Latest Crop.

Once we heard of the new woman-She was on a dazziing plan: But just now she is extinguished By America's new man. -Detroit Free Press.

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Evastea. Teacher - What! You ha 'en't

learned the story of Cain and And

Tommy-No; man says it is bad manners to pry into family quarrels.

The Beight of Cruelty. Bill-The girl said she thought you

were cruel to kill a boor. Jill-I can't see where the cruelty

"Perhaps you don't know that bears hug."-Yonkers Statesman. From Grace.

Re-One swallow doesn't make a PURNING C. She-Dut It sometimes is responsible for a fail.—Up to Date.

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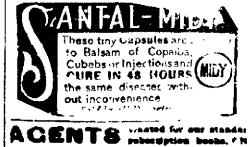
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That the average maternal American woman shows marked tendency to fleshineas, nowadays, must be apparent to abyone with observing eyes and of years Eccept to have known by sight her : arrandmother and great-graudmother, for they, as their shadows appear before us from out the dim and distant past, grew thinner rather than fatter as they grew older. Her daughters are, upon the whole, sylph-like creatures, graceful, willowy and lithesome, sa was the mother in her teens, but what will they be but like their mamma, fat and fair at forty. To what to ascribe the tendency of the American mother to increased advordupois one can't just say. Possibly it is heredity, finally overcoming the influences of climate, asserting itself Abrough their more or less remote English, Irish, Holland or German ancestresses, the habit of the women of all these - ruces being to grow stouter and stouter with their years. Then, too, lighter tasks, greater and better variety of foods and larger freedom from annoying cares may have something to do with it. But without going into the subject further, suffice it that "seeing is believing," and seeing is that the American woman of · to-day is taking on flesh, and between ourselves she doesn't take kindly to it.

In the overhauling of an old closet, for many years unopened, in an aucient farm house nearby the city, a day or so ago, there was brought to hight a lot of odds and ends the existence of which in the household had been lost to the mem ories of the surviving generation of the family. Among them was a tiny shoe last, or a size suitable to the fashioning of a shoe for children just able to go about alone.

This little last is not without a history. On it were made the first shoes worn by eleven boys and girls, that bemg the number of children born in the old house. It was in use seventy-five years ago, but time has changed it not, though all things else have greatly , changed since it was made. The peregripating cobbler, who, from time to time, put in appearance with his bench and his kit of tools, and made glad the hearts of the children with the new shoes he fashioned for them, is no longer in the land,-gone where his calling is unknown, for who ever heard of angels going about in shoes? Alas, too, of those who wore his shoes, some have gone on before, and more are nearing the time to be called.

The boys and girls of to day would Turn up their dainty-aoses at such shoes as were made on this old last. They were not beautiful it must be admitted, but they did service for ever and a day: and they shed water as does a duck's back. Of need it was that they should, for it was a long tramp through mud and such and snew their wearers bad to take between home and the district school.

What changes have come about in the manner of life on the farm since the days of usefulness of this venerable last went ont! Banished from the homestead grette backle, the spinning-wheel and the 300m. Even the art of knitting may be said to have only survived with antihaps, drawn by the patient ox. The of that regiment. floor of the best room is no longer covered with home-woven rag carpet, but is made gay, if not gaudy, with flashy tapestry brussels. Store clothes have sup-Bount'd home-spun. The capacious firewhere and its roar of blazing wood is a usped by the coal burning stove. The wish to more goes to the mill, the family Loss in mg made of flour bought by bag or tracel. The churn is out of date, and there are no pigs, for the reason that There is no buttermilk to feed them. In fine a is no longer the independent I mur, but the dependent farmer we French us.

As beenher of the Murcury, who is very observant even of little things, an . - as follows from Auburtdale, Pla-

In the Meacony of Aug. 30, I notic d an ar ale School Reopens Next Week we chas something of a currosity typoso a willy. There are seven lines in the to ignific Each of the lines begins sth the letter 't' and in each of them the letter 'b' is second and in five of the " In 'e' is the third letter. If the with a following temperature of the street o cososult be would have to make a FIGH Many aftempts before be could Succeed and be might writefor a hundred .. Is before he would duplicate it by

in. Traben Prosts.

and nost which formed last night was not vy enough in this city to do much d mire, but on using of the lowlands no clowns, it was so severe that all 4) is a vegetation was blasted. Another Ir let may be expected to-night.

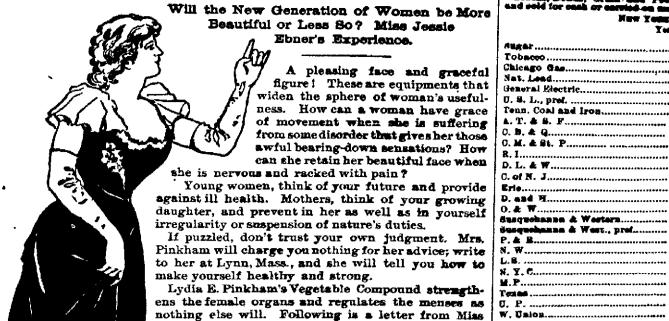
Police Court.

- Accorder Payne is attending a law suit at Monticello, to-day. Sever-- wives were in court complaining of domestic troubles and they were sent b . ay until to-morrow.

bon't let the httle ones suffer from severas or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Donn's Omtment cures. fan i harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

in forty years Or. Fowler's Extract or Wild Strawberry has been curing *zmmer complaint, dysentery, diarrhea, Moody finx, pair in the stomach, and it has a ver yet failed to do everything ciaimed for it.

MRS. PINKHAM TALKS TO THE FUTURE WOMAN.



JESSIE ERNER, 1712 West Jefferson St., Sandusky, Ohio. *"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:-- I feel it my duty to let you know of the great benefit your remedies have been to me. I suffered for over a year with inflammation of the ovaries. I had doctored, but no medicine did me any good. Was at a sanatarium for two weeks. The doctor thought an operation necessary, but I made up my mind to give your medicine a trial before submitting to that. I was also troubled with leucorrhœa, painful menstruation, dizziness, pervousness, and was so weak that I was unable to stand or walk. I have taken in all several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's

now in good health. I will always give your medicine the highest praise." Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman best Understands a Woman's Iils

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

An Adjourned Meeting, Tuesday Evening-Part of the Requisition Received from the City-Many Bills Audited-A High School Contract wait.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Education was held, Tuesday night. Messra, Purdy, Swalm, Finn, Hanford, Royce and Cox were present, and Mr. Hanford was made chairman.

The Finance Committee reported the receipt of \$20,000 on account of its requisition from the Common Council, who promised \$6,500 more in December and the balance before the expiration of the present Mayor's term.

President Powelson arrived at this juncture. Miss Edith Barnum was appointed to fill a vacancy at the High School at a salary of \$500 a year.

Bills to the amount of \$3.508.02 were

John L. Wiggins was engaged to deend the suit brought by the A. A. Griffing Iron Co., on account of the Degnan Plumbing Company's contract for the New High School building.

In future all bills presented to the Board must be accompanied by proper verification.

C. C. Bowman's bill of \$1832,41 for coal, was audited.

A Port Jervis soldier in Town.

Private Redding, of Co. H., 2d Regitannily rode to church and did their visit- | the camp near Troy to his home. Dr. ing in a lumber-box wagon, and it, per- Burt, formerly of this city, is a member

St. Joseph Church Notes.

-To-day, Friday and Saturday are Ember Days and will be kept as fast days of obligation.

-High mass, vespers and sermons will be resumed at St. Joseph's, Sunday.

-The forty days' adoration commence

-Archbishop Corrigan will be here Oct. 25 and will administer the sacrament of confirmation.

Prevention is always better than cure, even when cure is possible. But so many times pneumonia is not cured that prevention becomes the natural act of that instinct of selfpreservation which is "the first law of nature." Pneumonia can be prevented and is often cured by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

"Some years ago I had a severe cold and was threatened with pneumonia. I could neither eat nor sleep, and was in a wretched condition. I procured a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and took it according to the directions, and at the end of fifteen daysw as as well and sound as before the attack. I have recommended it in many cases of pneumonia since, and have never known it to fail in effecting a cure '

JOHN HENRY, St. Joseph, La. "I was attacked with a cold that settled on my lungs, and defied the skill of my physicians so that they considered me incurable. At last I began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and was entirely cured after having taken

> FRANCISCO A. SEVERIANO. Taunton, Mass.

Cherry Pectoral

is put up in half-size bottles at half price-50 cents.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

Vegetable Compound and

Blood Purifier, and am

-The Erie's new electric turn table at Jersey City is now in operation, and is working nicely. Only one man is required to manage it. It is worked on the same principle as a trolley car.

-Daniel Corcoran, an Erie brakeman, while making a coupling at Hawley, Monday evening, had his arm caught between the bumpers and so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

-The New York and New Haven Railroad Company, which now owns the New England Railroad, has made an offer for a large tract of land at Hopewell Junction, in Dutchess county, and it is understood to be its purpose to move the road's repair shops there.

POLITICAL NOTES.

-The friends of Will F. Royce are urging him to accept the Republican nomination for Alderman-at-Large.

-The call for the Democratic convention in this Congressional district is published elsewhere. The convention will be held in this city, Oct. 7.

Help Promptly Given.

"I was weak and all run down, although I did not have any special disease. Soon after I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I found it was belping me and after taking a few bottles I was ment, who is a resident of Port Jervis, quite strong. I recommend this mediquited dames. Time was when the stopped in town, to-day, en route from cine to others afflicted as I was." Mrs. Louisa Spencer, Acra, N. Y.

HOOD'S PILLS are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to get Hood's.

Cure Your Stomack,

You can quickly do this by using South American Nervine, It can cure every case of weak stomach in the world. It always cures, never fails. It knows no failure. It will gladden your heart and put sunshine into your life. It is a most surprising cure. A weak stomach and broken nerves will drag you down to death. South American Nervine wil' help you immediately. No failures: a) ways cures; never disappoints. Lovely to take. Sold by J. E. Milis, druggist Middletown, N. Y.

A Great surprise.

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp,s Balsam. Price 25 and 50c.



No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure makes weak men strong, blood pure 50c \$1 Ali druggists

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FULLER - HALSTEAD - At the home of the bride's parents, in Westtown, Sept 20th, '98, b. Rev. W S. Newsom, George Fuller, of Quarryville, and Jennie Halatead, of Westtown. CURTIS-FAULKNER-At Mount Hope, Sept. 20th, '98, by sev. T. Fitzgerald, Warren Curtie, of Carbondale, Pa., and Florence, daughter of George Faulkner, of Scotchtown.

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PRESTON-At rest, in this city, Sept 20th, '98, Mary E., widow of Alfred Preston, in her seventy sixth year.

Fanoral services will be held Ti uraday afternoon. at two o'clock, at her late residence, 57 South street. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

We Have Cord Wood

on our bargain counters, this week. Do you want a cord? Get prices at Steam Carpet Cleaning and Feather Renovating Works.

> E. H. GREGORY. TELEPHONE 129.

WANTED—A competent person as cook also a girl for general honometric. One who is need to dising room work preferred.

15d Apply at THRALL HOSPITAL.

THUMBURGANDERS SPORT WHEN JAS. P. TSSEE, Committeen Senter, & Building, 16 North street, Middletonn, N. Y. Stocks, Sonds, Grain and Previous too and sold for each or carried on margin. Kuw Your, Sept. 21, '90

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taken for less than 10 cents.

L'OR BALE or so let chesp from Oct. 1st-New L'house, Linden avenue, every improvement.
Bate Wedti DR FANCHER. FOR RENT-Five rooms, first floor, 56 East Main atrect. GIRL Wented to do laundry work and assist as THE PALM Rustament.

1820 DRAWS, THE WEEK, AT GREENING'S. DESSMAKER'S Apprentice wented.
It MRS. KEICHAM 71 Academy avedue.

COAL! Chestant \$4.00, Pea \$2.00 at VANPLEET'S. dWed, Satt

HOUSE to Let, No. 5 Houston avenue.

SAYES FANCHER.

THUR RENT-The bars and stable next to the Revines Bank. Enquire of lid SEYMOUR QUWITT, First National Bank. WANTED-A partner to engage in a incrative business. Must have \$300 Address 54dtf Box 475, Goshen, N X.

ROOMS to Let on West Main street. Enquire at L. WENGENBOTH'S, 52:18t 42 West Main street

DEILIP A. RURTY, Counselor at law, 15 hast Main street, Legal business of all kinds. Special attention to searching and collections. 67ds DENCIL Boxes, with full equipment, 5c at DAYTON'S.

WANTED—A comparent girl to do general housework. Melerences required. Enquire of MRS F. M. STRATTON, corner Grand and Wisner avenue. 33dt1

TOR SALE—Sweepstakes Stallion, site Sweep-stakes, dam Knicherbocker, grand dam Black Hnrry Civ. Foaled July 23d, '93. There is no better young horse in New York Seate for breeding Will be sold very cheap. Cail on or M. J. DUNRAM or M. B. VANFLEET, Mid-dietown, N. Y. 15dtf

RED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 39 North street. Telephone No. 3 Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

IZ NAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Em-L. balmers, 42 West Main street corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 16.

The fine residence of Stephen P Gibbs, No. 18 Wickham avenue—Nine rooms, attem heat and all moders improvements. The owner is arranging to move from Middletown, and we offer these TOHN LONOVAN, Undertaker and Embalmer 124 North street. Fine coaches to let. Telephone 15 Lady assistant. Open day and night, I. D OSTERHOUT, Undertaker and Embai-mer 44 James St. Middletown, N. Y. Or-

A. mer 44 James St. Middletown, N. X. Orange County Telephones—158 residence, 318 offi e. Hudson Elver or long distance telephone No. 281. Branch offic s. 46 Myrtle Ave., Brioklyn., 48 Great James St., New York. Lady Assistant. DOUGHERTY & CAREY, Undertakers and Embainers, 50 Cottage street, Middletown, Telephone 42, night and day. New York office, 52 Great Jones street. Also long distance telephone, Lady assistant.

A LL 10c Tablete 5c at

THE Klondike isn't in it with the bargains in second-hand goods at LOEVEN'S Storage House, 21 Monhagen avenue 78dly Oc23,96 C. J. EVERSON. TYRY DAYTON'S for school supplies.

> R RENT-Pour rooms, first floor, Wave-Vands avenue \$5
> WANTED-12,400 bond and moragage. Cen VV trai security.
> EDWIN 5. MERRILL, Attorney at Law,
> Booms 8 and 9 Times Building, King street,

A Fursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Emily C. Bookstaver, late of the town of Crawford, in said county seemed, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chat tells and eredits of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the town of Crawford, aforesaid, on serbefore the 22d day of September, 1898.

Dated Murch 15th, 1898.

GEORGE S. GREEN, Administrator, JOHN C. R. TAYLOR, AUGURAVY for Administrator, Rooms 5 and 6 Law Building, Middle Awa, N. Y. JUS VUOLO, 21 Fuiton street—Full itee of fine hoes Ladles shoes, Goodysar welt, \$1.88 M n's good working sloes \$1. M n's fine shoes \$1.50 to \$3. Repairing neatly done at very resconsble prices. Shoes made to order p ricet fit Beet leather 19 and 22c per pound. Shoemakers' materials of all kinds, Present to every customer. d83mOc25. NO. 91 FULTON STREET.

FOR SALE

Three (2) of the Banda Residence Lots on Highland Avenue.

Highland avenue, corner of Prospect street, directly opposite the boautiful residence and grounds of George M. Clemson. These lots are lamp, well graded, supplied with ample shade, fruit and ornemental trees, all ready for the house. Maps, price, terms, etc., on application at thus office.

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CKULLERS, OH, GRULLERS!

Gennine Home-Made Crallers

Fresh every day; also Cream Puffs, Mince and Pumpkin Pies, etc, at

C. H. TUCKER'S, 157 North St. CALL EARLY.

39 Cts. Seven Pounds of Granolated Sugar. SLOAT'S

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CASH STORE.

P. F. K. ufman, anctioneer, will sell on Thursday, Sept. 22d, at No. 10 Houston avenue, at 1, 10 lock sharp, all the household goods, consisting of parlor, dining room, bedroom and kitchen faraiture, one mahogany uphoist-red invalid choir, and 300 articles of various descriptions, including war implements, etc. Terms on day

SYLVANUS GREER.

WARTED—Case of bad health that E-L-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripens Chemical Co., New York, for 10 manples and 1,000 testimonials. 9941yJly1470

Special Advance Sale Of

Goods well bought are half sold is an old saying. We have bought a great many lots of goods during the dult season, from manufacturers and jobbers, for this great opening sale, that couldn't be bought to-day for what we can sell them for. We want your trade this fall if low prices and large assortment of goods will get it. Do not miss this chance of getting your share of these great offerings. Owing to a lack of space we can only mention a few of the many low prices our counters and shelves are loaded with.

Bress Goods.

We don't claim to have the largest stock in the world, but we do claim to have all the newest styles and colorings n the market. Among this great stock we can sell a great many goods at less prices than the same goods can be bought for to-day.

Bonnie Bright Plaids, not too bright, but warm color suggestions, such as any young miss would be pleased with, 25 styles to select from at 124, 25 and 50c a yard.

Silk and Wool Plaids, all beautiful colorings. The regular price would be \$1 a yard; this lot 65c a yard.

Fancy Wool Mixtures, in all the newest colorings-some plain, others fancy; for this great sale 39, 50, 75c a yard. 50 inch all wool Surah Serge, in black and navy blue; as long as this lot lasts 49c a yard. 46 inch all wool black and navy blue 75c Storm Serge,

for this sale, 50c a yard. 46 mch all wool Serge, comes in black and all colors.

Many would get 69c for no better; our price 50c a yard. 40 inch all wool Black and Navy Blue Serge, 9 pieces in this lot. As long as they last 35c a yard.

Dress Linings.

Why we advertise Linings. In most stores this stock gets but scant attention. Here it's just as important in the quality and price way as silks or dress goods. Best Kid Cambric, all colors, no better goods made, 3

cents a vard. 36 inch fast black Percaline. Has been sold for 15c.; here at 10c a yard.

36 inch black tancy Waist Lining, real value 18c a yard; here at 12%c. 36 inch fancy Perca Silk, all the newest fall colorings.

We carry these popular grades 12%, 15, 20c a yard. The best French Hair Cloth, in all widths, 25c a yard up

36 inch Italian Cloth, in stripes and checks, fine for jacket or skirt hning, 40c a yard.

Separate Skirts.

We made a purchase in July, for this great opening sale, of 150 Skirts of one of the best skirt makers in New York. All have extra inter lining, are perfect fitting, and from \$2 to \$4 less than you can get the same goods made for. It in need of a skirt, do not miss this chance. Plain black Brilliantine Skirts, lined and interlined, perfect fitting, \$2.98.

Black Serge and Black Figured Skirts. You will wonder how one could get the material for the price, \$2.98.
Black Figured Silk Skirts, fined and interlined. One of the best bargains ever shown by any firm, \$3.98. Black all wool Crepon Skirts. The cloth would cost you

more than we ask for the whole garment. This lot is all we will have at the price, \$4.98. The Dewey Flounce Skirt, one of the latest fads, very awell, \$3 98, \$4.68.

Comtorts.

96 Comforts, filled with white batten and covered with fine chintz or sateen, at 98c., \$1.29, \$1.39, \$1.48. 24 fine Silkaline Comforts, all dainty patterns, batten as fine as down, \$1.98.

Many Bargains from Our August

Waist Silks mostly. Just the thing you're looking for. They're swell styles at low prices. Do not buy silks advertised at calico prices. They're no good. The best is none too good for our customers. Plain Taffeta Silks, all colors, fine for a low priced waist

or linings, 49e a yard. Fancy Waist Silks, in all the leading shades. The best quality we can get at the price, 65c a yard.

Rustleing Taffetas, in rich irridescent effects, beautiful goods, 75 and 98c a yard.

24 inch plana black Taffeta Silk, so popular for shirt waists; as long as this lot lasts 69c a yard.

Dressing Sacques.

We bought in June 300 of these dainty useful garments. Are made better than the ones that are rushed through the factory later in the season; also much cheaper. Made of soft eider down, in stripes and plain colors, and priced to you less than the closest bargain hunter would expect; as long as they last 79, 98c., \$1.48.

Ladies' Wrappers.

We open the season by offering 228 Percale Wrappers, all dark colors, cut extra wide, have extra vest fronts, made with bound seams; as long as they last 79c.

Odd lots left from our great August clearing sale, that are great bargains, at 69, 98c.

Sheets and Pillow Cases.

We only keep the best makes, and can sell them to you for less than the goods by the yard would cost you. The Dewey Pillow Case-Torn, iroued and washed, the best value ever shown by any firm, 36x45, 12% each or

\$1.25 a dozen. The same goods, hemstitched, 36x45, 14c each, or \$1.50

a dozen. Bleached Sheets-Torn, ironed and washed, 40, 44 and

48c each. Domestics.

Cotton Goods were never so low as now. Do not, because we have quoted such low prices, think the goods are not good. It is a case of the nimble sixpence how we can quote such low prices. You are welcome to as many of these goods as you want as long as they are advertised, no longer. 1,110 yards fine Unbleached Muslin. Sold by all for 5c.;

for this sale 3%c a yard. 1,080 yards fine Bleached Muslin. Not a bit of dressing in the cloth. As long as it lasts 5c a yard.

1,906 yards White Domet Flannel. Sold by all for 6c.: as long as we advertise it 3%c a yard. 2,640 yards best Dress Prints made. All good styles, not the stuff most merchants get to advertise with; as long

as it is advertised 4c a yard, Cotton Batten-Three special values. The best goods ever shown at 10 and 15c per roll.

Ribbans.

Double faced Satin Ribbon, with a corded edge, is the latest fad. We have all the newest shades from No. 7 to

No. 80, at our popular lew prices. Clearing Sale at Closing Prices